

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF)
Robert G. Padingham et al.) Examiner: Nguyen, Nga B
SERIAL NO. 09/688,289) Group Art Unit No. 3628
FILED: 13 October 2000)
FOR: Automated Negotiation within)
an Auction System)

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF FEBRUARY 7, 2007

Honorable Director of Patents and Trademarks
P O Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir

In response to the Office Action of February 7, 2007 it is requested that the application be amended as follows: